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TAGS: TGEN, TBIO, UR, US

SUBJECT: US-USSR HEALTH AGREEMENT: EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION ON SMOKING  
AND HEALTH(03)

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FROM DHEW LETTER FOR TRANSMITTAL TO  
DR. N.A. YAKUNIN, STATE CENTRAL MEDICAL LIBRARY. LETTER IS FROM  
DONALD R. SHOPLAND, NATIONAL CLEARINGHOUSE FOR SMOKING AND HEALTH,  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH EDUCATION.

2. SHOPLAND'S LETTER COMPLAINS TO YAKUNIN TMAT LATTER'S LETTER OF  
2 DECEMBER ARRIVED ONLY IN MAY BUT STATES REASON FOR DELAY  
UNKNOWN. LETTER NOTES NEAR CLOSE THE ADDRESS OF CENTER FOR DISEASE  
CONTROL (ATLANTA, GEORGIA), AND ASKS THAT YAKUNIN SEND INFORMATION  
(DIRECTLY) THERE.

3. IF TIMELINESS IS INDEED IMPORTANT IN THIS EXCHANGE, IT MAY BE  
PREFERABLE TO ADVISE YAKUNIN TO SEND MATERIALS AND CORRESPONDENCE  
THROUGH THE SCIENCE OFFICES OF EITHER SOVEMBASSY WASHINGTON OR  
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW, AND TO SUGGEST HE AVOID THE SOVIET INTERNATIONAL  
MAIL, WHICH MAY BE THE CULPRIT IN THAT DELAY.

4. SUBJECT EXCHANGE MAY WELL NOT BE FORMAL PART OF THE US-USSR  
HEALTH AGREEMENT. SCIENCE OFFICE OFFER OF ASSISTANCE IS  
TENDERED REGARDLESS OF STATUS OF PROGRAM. PLEASE ADVISE.

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EMBASSY CAN ADD "P.S." TO LETTER IF SUCH DESIRED. MATLOCK

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